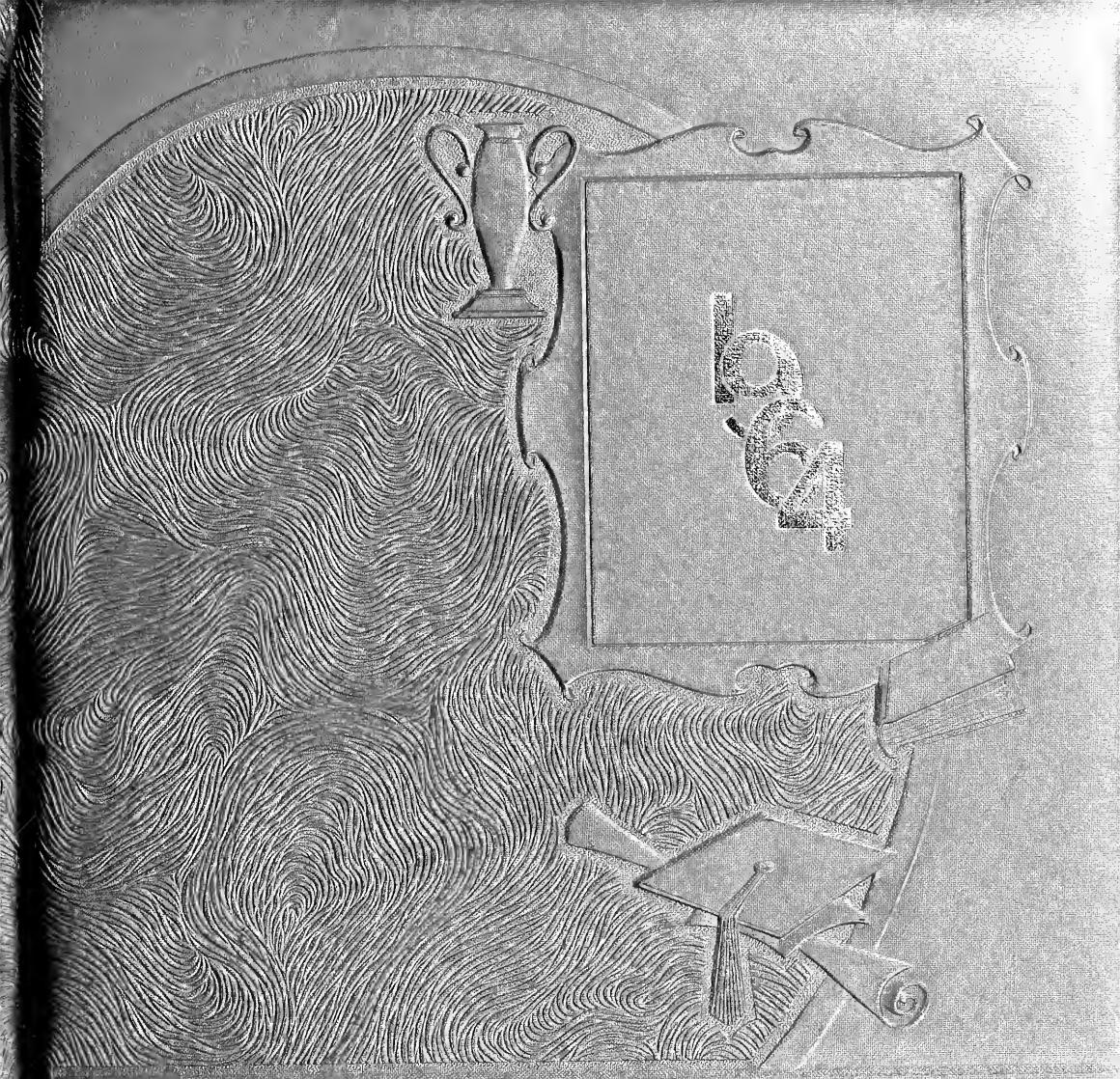


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The
Gems
East Rockcreek
High School



The pathways through high school are memorable ones. We hope that through this book, we have portrayed a span of these pathways to the future upon which each of us travel.

Education is in itself a wide and heavily traveled pathway. There are many forks in this pathway-- each leading to some goal set by those who are traveling upon it.

Just as some roads are unpaved, so are some pathways to success unpaved. There are many rough and threatening sections. However, if the goal is kept in view, all difficulties can be surmounted and the pathway will have served its purpose of furnishing a means of guidance.

We are proud of our faculty who are the guideposts along our pathway through high school. Without them our trek would be futile.

With all these things in mind, we dedicate the 1964 GEMS to East Rockcreek High School.

In Memorial



We the annual staff wish to pay tribute to Charles A. Dormire. Charlie drove the school bus for many years and enjoyed every minute of it. He was admired and respected by all of the students. No matter what the weather or mood he had a smile and hello for everyone. His memory will be with us always.



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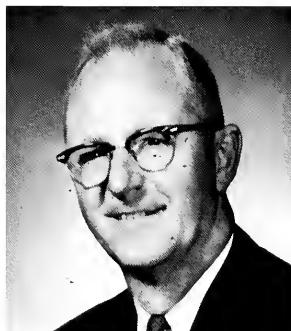


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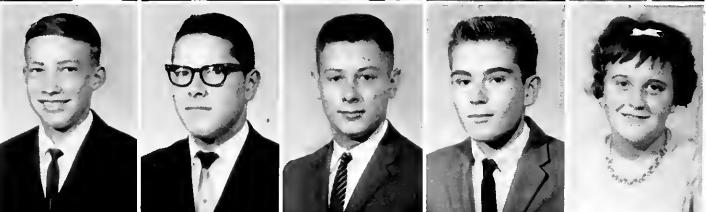
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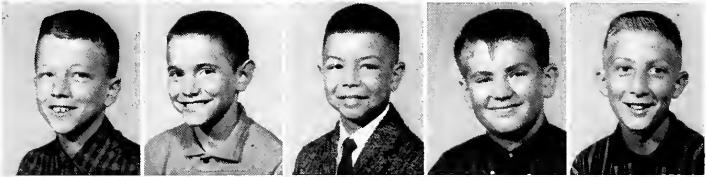
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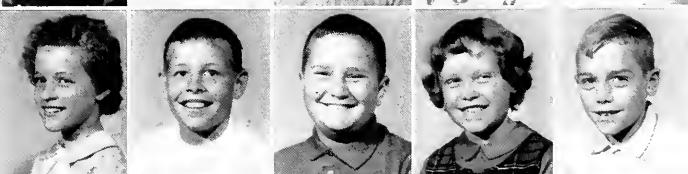
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Kent Wolf
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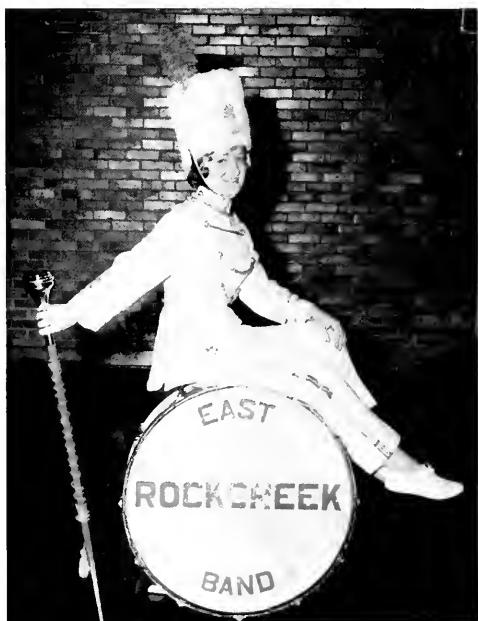




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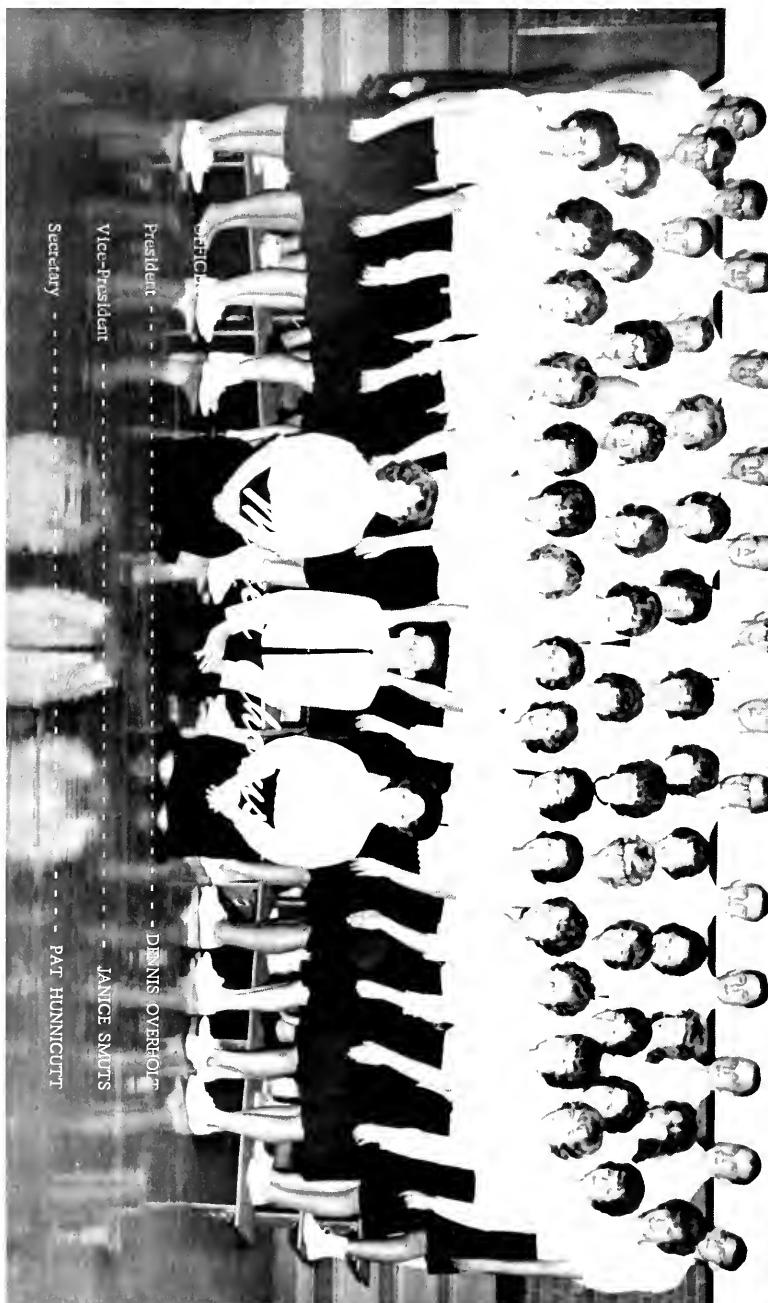
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M. Hoag

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L. Gensic
C. Crismore
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L. Lesh, J. Grandlienard, J. Fisher, D. Gensic, B. Hoag

Jr. Hi
Ensemble





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Bowling





*"Come Out of
the Closet"*

presented: April 5, 1963

ROW 1: T. Waters, G. Redding, B. Miller, M. Highlen, J. Smuts, G. Hill, B. Elzey, F. Smith, director. ROW 2: J. Braden, M. Edris, S. Giesman, B. Falk, L. Inman, S. Davison. A. Espich, absent.

Class Plays

ROW 1: M. Highlen, J. Smuts, G. Hill, B. Elzey, B. Miller. ROW 2: S. Giesman, T. Waters, S. Davison, L. Inman, B. Falk, G. Redding, J. Kolter, director. A. Espich, absent.

*"Meet Me
at My Locker"*

presented: October 23,
1963





FRONT ROW: L. Beck, Mr. Drabenstott, sponsor, R. Sliger. BACK ROW: R. Gilbert, D. Steffen, M. Highlen, E. Stahl, L. McAfee, R. Grandienard, R. Harnish, G. Johnson.

FRONT ROW: Mrs. Smith, sponsor, C. Fry, P. Hunnicutt, Sec.; C. Smith, V.-Pres.; M. Huyghe, Pres.; D. Hoag, V.-Pres. BACK ROW: R. Roller, D. Mosure, L. Fry, J. Sparks, E. Harshman, M. Linder, S. McAfee, R. Lenwell, L. Falk, L. Emily.



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Varsity Basketball



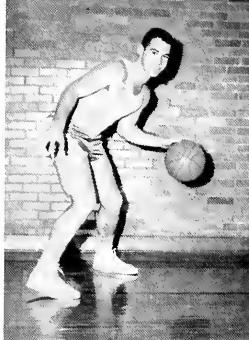
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MR. ALLRED, Coach

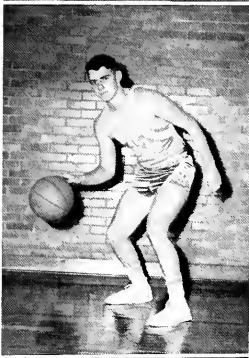


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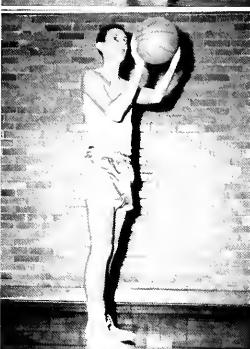
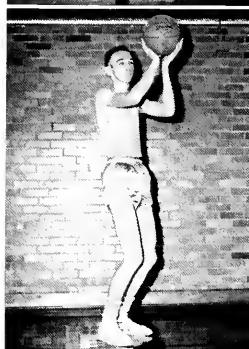
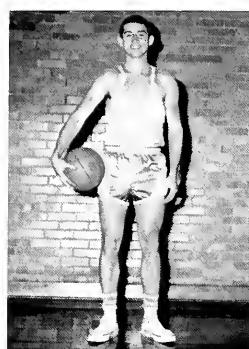
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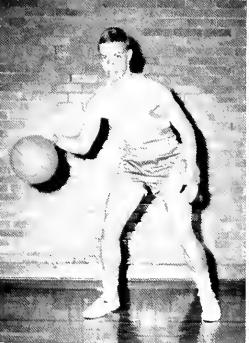
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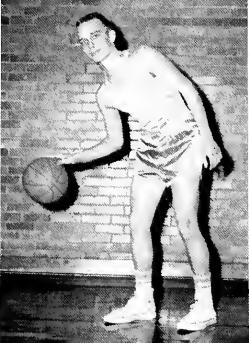
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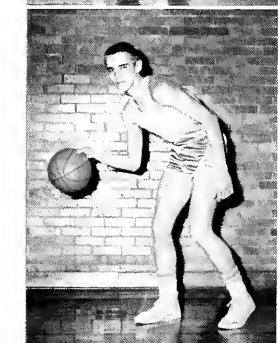
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Corine Hoffacker





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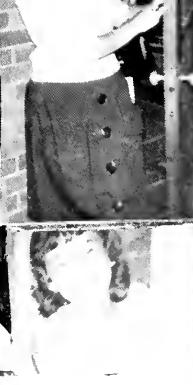


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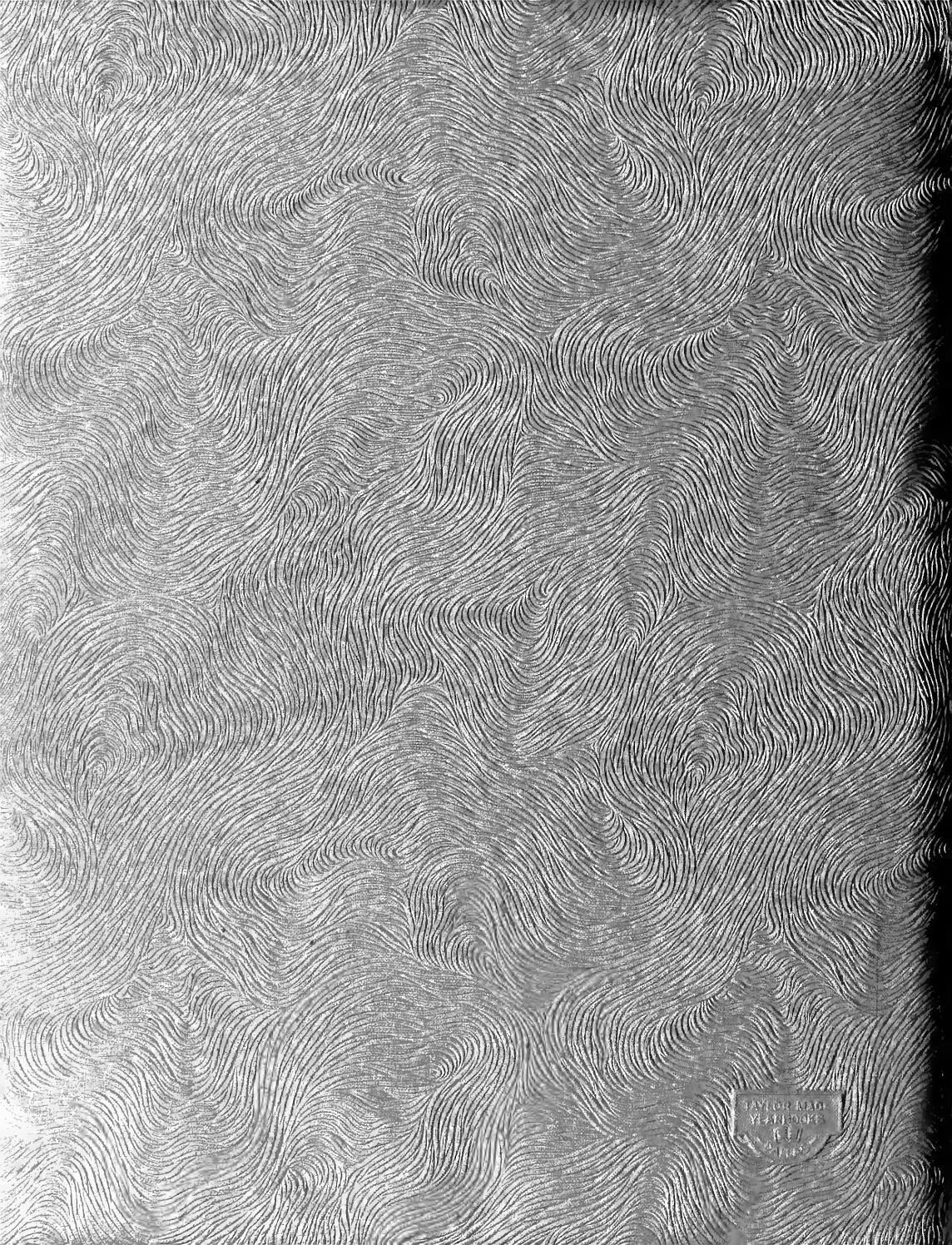
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